

Sub Hubbub

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OH, HUGH! WHAT
A GREAT SURPRISE
IT WAS TO TAKE THE
FAMILY ON A CRUISE
FOR MY
BIRTHDAY!

I'M GLAD YOU
ARE ENJOYING
THE TRIP, HONEY...

...AND IT'S ONLY
GETTING BETTER!
ESPECIALLY AFTER YOU
OPEN YOUR PRESENT
TONIGHT AT
DINNER.



HEY, JIMBO, YOUR
MOM AND I ARE
GOING ROCK
CLIMBING. YOU'RE IN
CHARGE OF GRABBING
THE PRESENT I
BOUGHT HER FROM
THE CABIN. MEET
US FOR DINNER AT
SIX SHARP.
GOT IT?

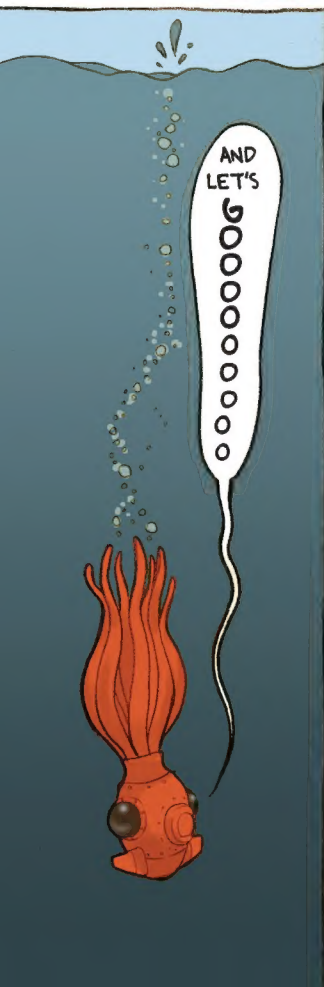
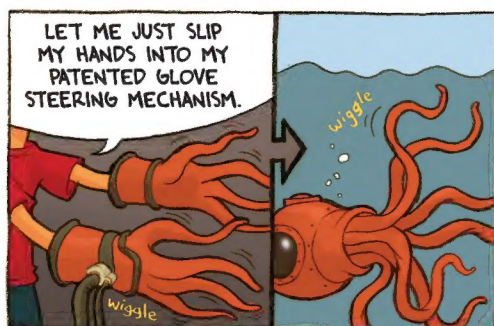


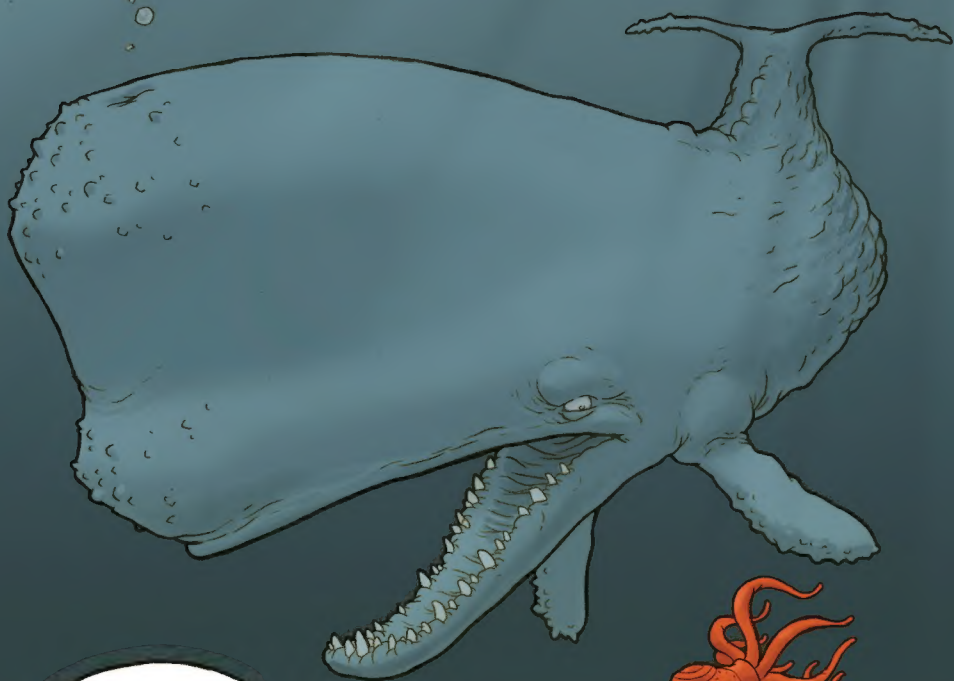
**NO
PROB!**

IN THE CABIN...



I WONDER
WHAT DAD GOT
FOR MOM. MUST BE
SOMETHING REALLY
SPECIAL.

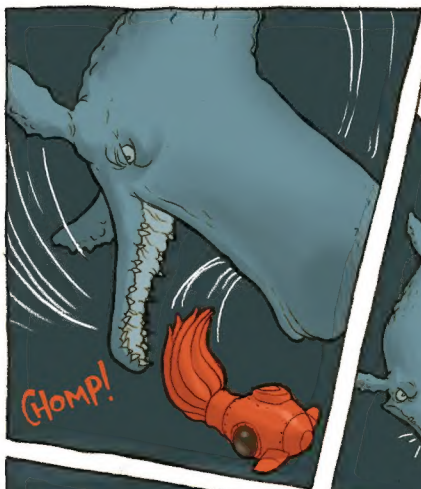




**A SPERM
WHALE!**

THIS IS BAD,
GODDARD. A
SPERM WHALE'S DIET
CONSISTS MAINLY OF
≡GULP≡

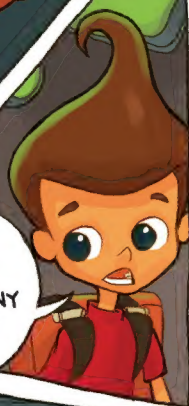
GIANT SQUID!



I MUST'VE
MISCALCULATED THE
SPERM WHALES'
MIGRATION
PATTERNS!



THERE
SHOULDN'T
HAVE BEEN ANY
FOR MILES!



HE'S GAINING ON US!
OUTRUNNING HIM
ISN'T DOING THE
TRICK.



TIME
TO SEE
WHAT THIS
SUB
CAN
REALLY
DO!



ERRRRGH!



WOW! HE'S STRONGER
THAN I THOUGHT.
CAN'T HOLD HIM FOR
MUCH LONGER!



MINUTES PASS, AND THEN...

AH, THERE IT IS.
AND HOLY COW,
GODDARD, LOOK...

...TREASURE!

WE'RE RICH! THIS'LL
BE THE BEST BIRTHDAY
EVER FOR MOM. WHY,
JUST ONE OF THESE
RUBIES WOULD MAKE
HER YEAR!

OOOH, AND WITH THIS,
I COULD GET AN IONIC
GAS DIFFUSER!

AND A FLUX
COMPRESSOR!

OOH, AND A FRIBULATED
PRESSURE TANK!

AND A 30-SOCKET
ALTERNATING FUEL
DISCHARGER!

OH, YEAH, AND
MOM'S PRESENT.

WELL,
THAT'S ABOUT
ALL WE CAN
CARRY.

YIKES! TIME'S
SHORT! DAD WILL
BLOW IF HE DOESN'T
HAVE THAT PRESENT
BY DINNER!

BOY, THIS
THING'S A TON
SLOWER NOW.

LOOK, WE'RE ALMOST TO THE SHIP. SMOOTH SAILING FROM HERE ON.



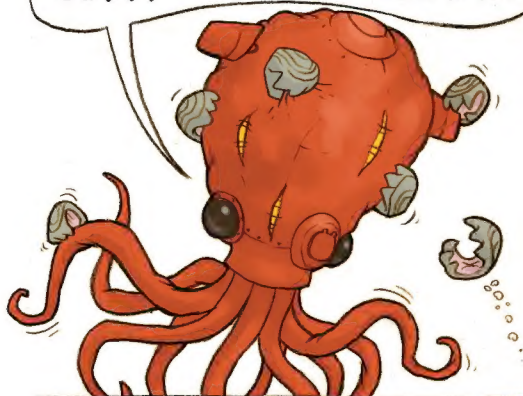
CRUNCH!



I HOPE THAT'S NOT WHAT I THINK IT IS!



GIANT PARASITIC CLAMS!



BACK OFF!



TAKE THAT, CHOWDERHEADS!



CHOMP!

OH, NO! SHE'S NOT STRONG ENOUGH!



MOM'S PRESENT!



NOT SO FAST, CLAMMY!



